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OKAY, DINGLE! WHY ARE LOIS AND THE OTHER GIRLS FLIPPING OUT OVER *YOU*??!

WHY?

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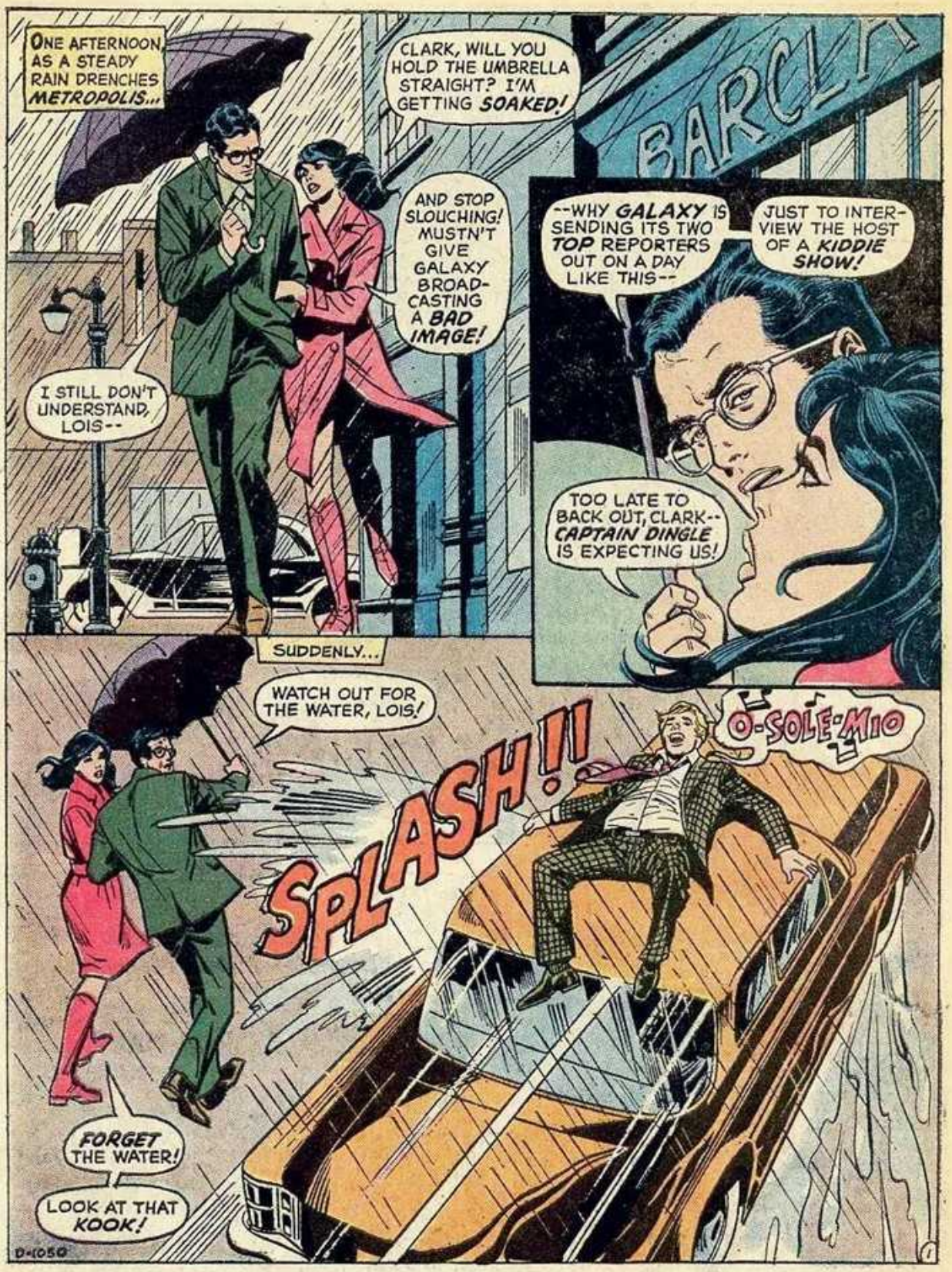
ONE AFTERNOON AS A STEADY RAIN DRENCHES METROPOLIS...
CLARK, WILL YOU HOLD THE UMBRELLA STRAIGHT? I'M GETTING SOAKED!
AND STOP SLOUCHING! MUSTN'T GIVE GALAXY BROADCASTING A BAD IMAGE!
I STILL DON'T UNDERSTAND, LOIS--
--WHY GALAXY IS SENDING ITS TWO TOP REPORTERS OUT ON A DAY LIKE THIS--
JUST TO INTERVIEW THE HOST OF A KIDDIE SHOW!
TOO LATE TO BACK OUT, CLARK-- CAPTAIN DINGLE IS EXPECTING US!
SUDDENLY...
WATCH OUT FOR THE WATER, LOIS!
SPLASH!!
O-SOLE-MIO
FORGET THE WATER!
LOOK AT THAT KOOK!
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I DON'T BELIEVE THIS! EVERY-ONE ON THAT STREET HAS GONE BANANAS!
AH! A LOVELY SNACK FOR SOMEONE!
SLURP! BEST LOLLIPOP I EVER HAD!
IT'S LIKE AN EPIDEMIC OF INSANITY!
THE BRAIN

"RING-AROUND-A-ROSIE..."
WATER! PEEL ME A GRAPE!
THIS IS HOW IT BEGAN. THE FIRST LINK IN A CHAIN OF WEIRD EVENTS THAT PLUNGED METROPOLIS INTO A TERRIBLE DAY OF UTTER INSANITY...
GLUB! GLUB!
AT LAST--ALL THE WATER I CAN DRINK!
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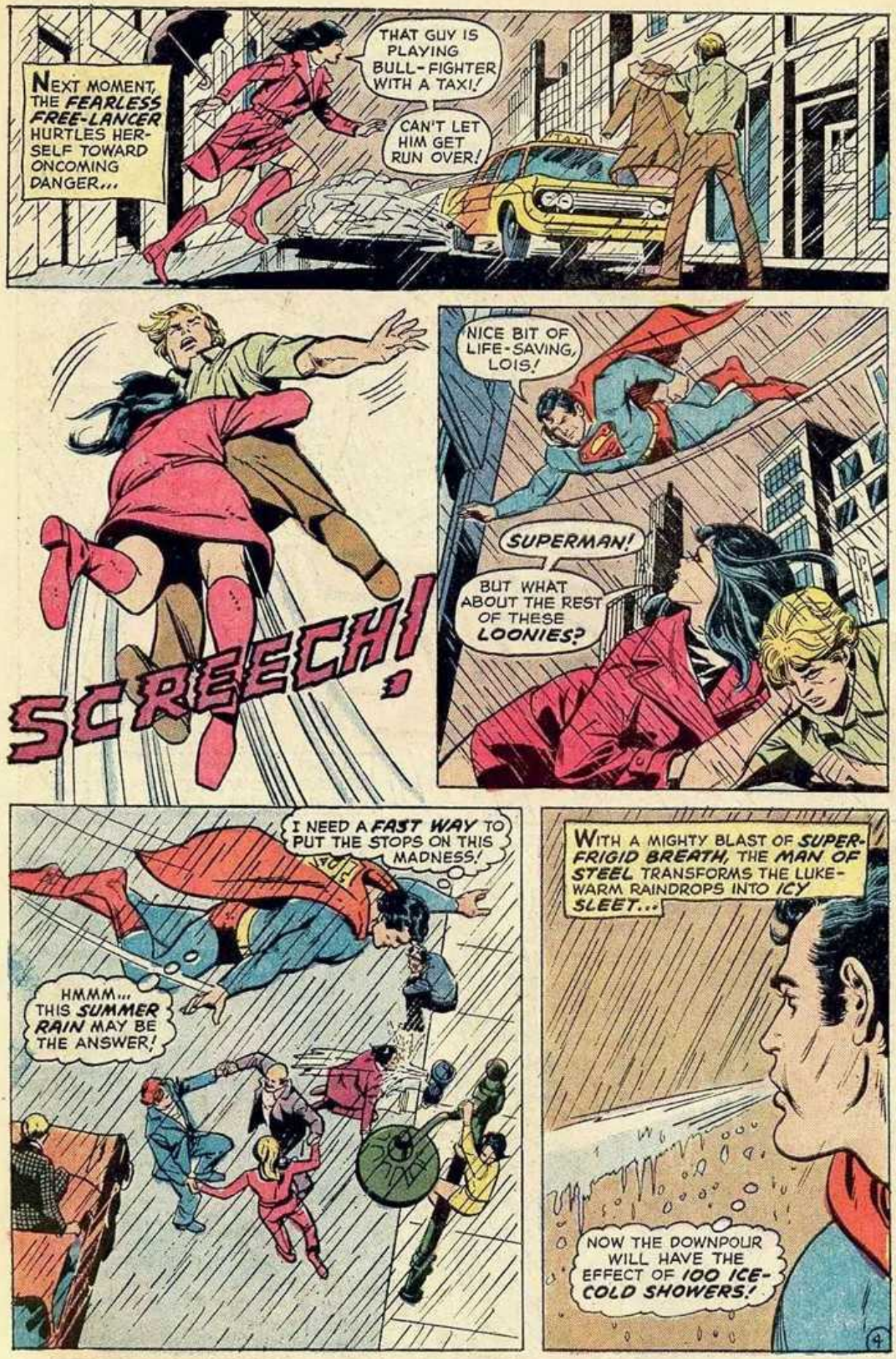
CLARK! WE'VE GOT TO STOP THIS LUNACY BEFORE SOMEBODY GETS HURT!
DO SOMETHING!
ER...THAT'S EASY FOR YOU TO SAY!
I'M ONLY HUMAN, LOIS!
MUST FIND AN EXCUSE TO SLIP AWAY SO I CAN CHANGE CLOTHES AND BECOME SUPERMAN!

SUDDENLY, THE MILD-MANNERED REPORTER BACK-FLIPS INTO STRANGE ACTION...
WHAT'S GOTTEN INTO YOU? YOU'RE USUALLY NOT STRONG ENOUGH TO SKIP ROPE!

CLARK!
LOOK, LOIS! NO FEET!

OH,NO! LOOKS LIKE CLARK HAS BEEN AFFECTED BY THE SAME THING THAT'S MADE ALL THESE OTHER PEOPLE FLIP OUT!
SHE THINKS I'M NUTS--!
..WHICH IS EXACTLY WHAT I WANT LOIS TO THINK WHILE I DROP OUT OF SIGHT!


NEXT MOMENT, THE FEARLESS FREE-LANCER HURTLES HERSELF TOWARD ONCOMING DANGER...
THAT GUY IS PLAYING BULL-FIGHTER WITH A TAXI!
CAN'T LET HIM GET RUN OVER!
TAXI
SCREECH!
NICE BIT OF LIFE-SAVING, LOIS!
SUPERMAN!
BUT WHAT ABOUT THE REST OF THESE LOONIES?
I NEED A FAST WAY TO PUT THE STOPS ON THIS MADNESS!
HMMM... THIS SUMMER RAIN MAY BE THE ANSWER!
WITH A MIGHTY BLAST OF SUPER-FRIGID BREATH, THE MAN OF STEEL TRANSFORMS THE LUKE-WARM RAINDROPS INTO ICY SLEET...
NOW THE DOWNPOUR WILL HAVE THE EFFECT OF 100 ICE-COLD SHOWERS!
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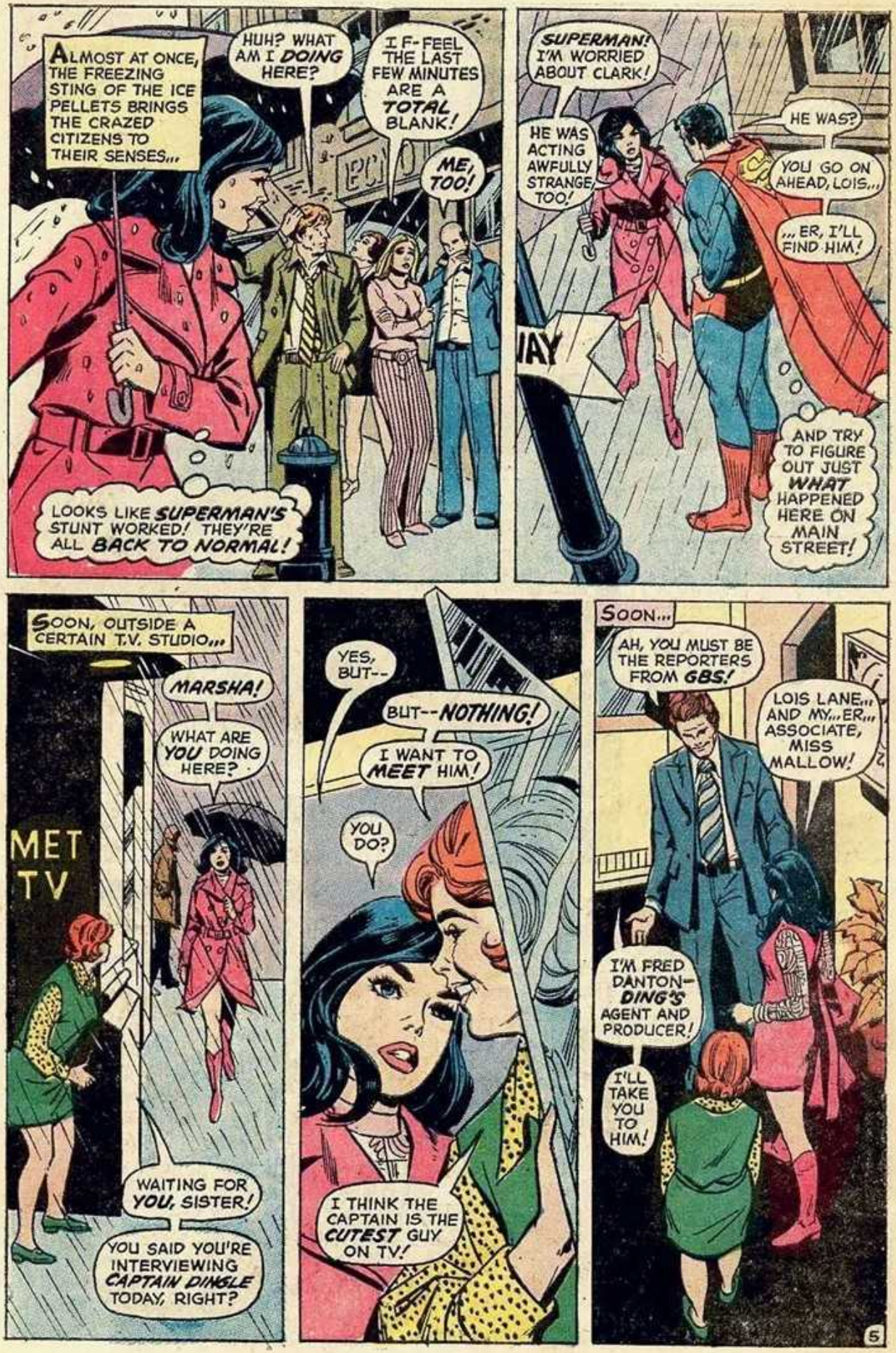
ALMOST AT ONCE, THE FREEZING STING OF THE ICE PELLETS BRINGS THE CRAZED CITIZENS TO THEIR SENSES...
HUH? WHAT AM I DOING HERE?
I F-FEEL THE LAST FEW MINUTES ARE A TOTAL BLANK!
ME, TOO!
LOOKS LIKE SUPERMAN'S STUNT WORKED! THEY'RE ALL BACK TO NORMAL!
SUPERMAN! I'M WORRIED ABOUT CLARK!
HE WAS ACTING AWFULLY STRANGE, TOO!
HE WAS?
YOU GO ON AHEAD, LOIS...
...ER, I'LL FIND HIM!
AND TRY TO FIGURE OUT JUST WHAT HAPPENED HERE ON MAIN STREET!
SOON, OUTSIDE A CERTAIN T.V. STUDIO...
MARSHA!
WHAT ARE YOU DOING HERE?
MET TV
WAITING FOR YOU, SISTER!
YOU SAID YOU'RE INTERVIEWING CAPTAIN DINGLE TODAY, RIGHT?
YES, BUT--
BUT--NOTHING!
I WANT TO MEET HIM!
YOU DO?
I THINK THE CAPTAIN IS THE CUTEST GUY ON TV!
SOON...
AH, YOU MUST BE THE REPORTERS FROM GBS!
LOIS LANE... AND MY...ER... ASSOCIATE, MISS MALLOW!
I'M FRED DANTON-DING'S AGENT AND PRODUCER!
I'LL TAKE YOU TO HIM!
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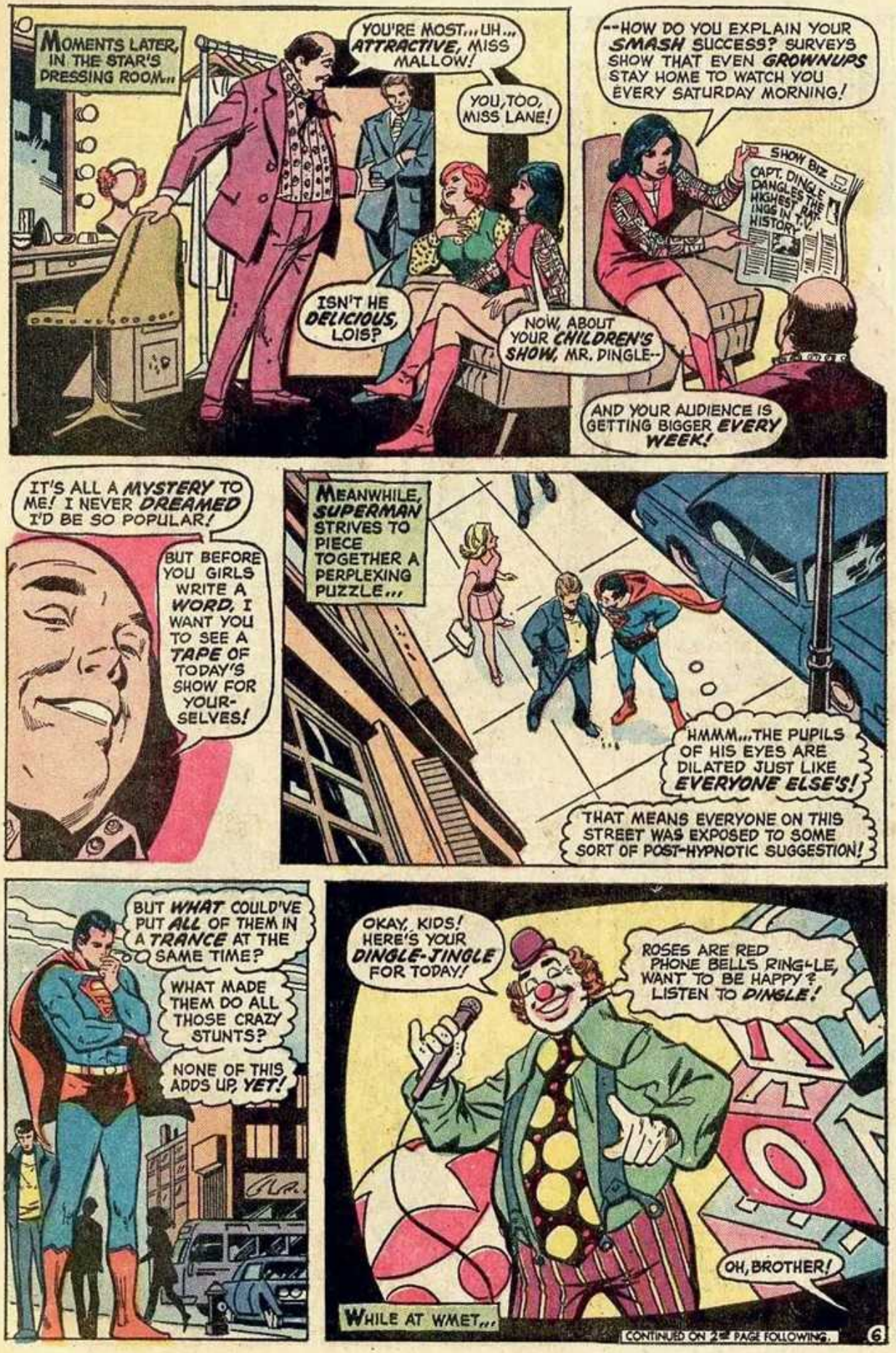
MOMENTS LATER, IN THE STAR'S DRESSING ROOM...
YOU'RE MOST... UH... ATTRACTIVE, MISS MALLOW!
YOU, TOO, MISS LANE!
ISN'T HE DELICIOUS, LOIS?
--HOW DO YOU EXPLAIN YOUR SMASH SUCCESS? SURVEYS SHOW THAT EVEN GROWNUPS STAY HOME TO WATCH YOU EVERY SATURDAY MORNING!
SHOW BIZ
CAPT. DINGLE DANGLES THE HIGHEST RATINGS IN T.V. HISTORY!
NOW, ABOUT YOUR CHILDREN'S SHOW, MR. DINGLE--
AND YOUR AUDIENCE IS GETTING BIGGER EVERY WEEK!
IT'S ALL A MYSTERY TO ME! I NEVER DREAMED I'D BE SO POPULAR!
BUT BEFORE YOU GIRLS WRITE A WORD, I WANT YOU TO SEE A TAPE OF TODAY'S SHOW FOR YOURSELVES!
MEANWHILE, SUPERMAN STRIVES TO PIECE TOGETHER A PERPLEXING PUZZLE...
HMMM... THE PUPILS OF HIS EYES ARE DILATED JUST LIKE EVERYONE ELSE'S!
THAT MEANS EVERYONE ON THIS STREET WAS EXPOSED TO SOME SORT OF POST-HYPNOTIC SUGGESTION!
BUT WHAT COULD'VE PUT ALL OF THEM IN A TRANCE AT THE SAME TIME?
WHAT MADE THEM DO ALL THOSE CRAZY STUNTS?
NONE OF THIS ADDS UP, YET!
OKAY, KIDS! HERE'S YOUR DINGLE-JINGLE FOR TODAY!
ROSES ARE RED PHONE BELLS RING-LE, WANT TO BE HAPPY? LISTEN TO DINGLE!
OH, BROTHER!
WHILE AT WMET...
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ROGER'S SUPER SKITTLE BOWL
LOOK THAT'S ROGER STAUBACH, THE FAMOUS FOOTBALL STAR
YEAH, AND HE'S PLAYING WITH THE BIGGEST SKITTLE BOWL I'VE EVER SEEN.
WHAT ARE YOU DOING, ROGER?
JUST KEEPING IN SHAPE DURING THE OFF-SEASON WITH MY OLYMPIC SIZE SKITTLE BOWL™.
GEE, IT'S GIGANTIC
IT'S TALLER THAN ME
NATURALLY EVERYTHINGS BIG IN TEXAS.
BUT YOU DON'T HAVE TO BE FROM TEXAS TO HAVE AN OLYMPIC SIZE SKITTLE BOWL.
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I CAN'T BELIEVE THIS SHOW APPEALS TO ANYONE WITH AN I.Q. HIGHER THAN A 10-YEAR-OLD'S!
SSSSHH!
ALWAYS BEHAVE FOR MOMMY AND DADDY.. DO WHAT YOU SHOULD, AND DON'T BE A BADDIE!
AND NOW, MY LITTLE CHICKIES... IT'S TIME TO GATHER 'ROUND FOR THE SING-DINGLE!
AND THIS IS WHAT STRAIGHT-THINKING, ADULT CITIZENS ALL OVER METROPOLIS SPEND THEIR SATURDAY MORNING WATCHING?
I DON'T BELIEVE IT!
I THINK CAPTAIN DINGLE IS TERRIFIC!
HE MAKES ME TINGLE!
AND WHEN THE TAPED SHOW IS OVER...
WELL? WHAT SORT OF REVIEW SHOULD I EXPECT?
MIXED, MR. DINGLE-- BETWEEN EXCELLENT AND SUPERB!
AND WHAT DID YOU THINK, MISS LANE?
I... ER... SCREENING ROOM
I THINK IT'S...
SENSATIONAL! ...ENJOYED EVERY MINUTE OF IT! I COULDN'T... TAKE MY EYES OFF THE SCREEN!
?!?
LOIS! ARE YOU FULL OF SURPRISES!
I LIKED THE SHOW FROM THE START... BUT I THOUGHT YOU HATED IT!
SO DID I... BUT THEN I-I HAD SECOND THOUGHTS!
I PLAN TO WATCH IT NEXT SATURDAY MORNING, MARSHA! I LOVE CAPTAIN DINGLE!
WNET TV
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AT THAT MOMENT...
TODAY'S TEST EXPERIMENT WITH THE PEOPLE OF MAIN STREET WAS A COMPLETE SUCCESS, MR. DANTON!
PROVING THAT MY TOP-SECRET SUBCON EFFECT CAN HYPNOTIZE ANYBODY TO DO WHAT WE WANT-- WHEN WE WANT!
S-DAY WILL SOON BE UPON US,,, AND BY THEN I'LL BE IN CONTROL OF EVERY PERSON IN METROPOLIS!
NO LONGER WILL MY GENIUS FOR ELECTRONICS BE WASTED WORKING FOR A T.V. SHOW!
AND THE IRONIC THING IS--
--THAT IDIOT, DINGLE, DOESN'T DREAM THAT HIS SHOW IS OUR SECRET WEAPON!
THE NEXT DAY, AS LOIS PHOTOGRAPHS THE MAN OF MIGHT IN ACTION FOR THE CITY'S CLEAN-UP CAMPAIGN...
A LITTLE SUPER-SPEED--
CITY DUMP
--A LITTLE SUPER-STRENGTH--
NICE GOING, SUPERMAN!
CLICK! CLICK!
--AND I CAN COMPRESS TONS OF JUNK AND SCRAP METAL INTO ONE LITTER-BALL!
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LOIS! LOOK AT THIS FILM!
WATCH! CAPT. DINGLE EVERY SATURDAY ON WMET
YOU HAD THE CAMERA POINTED AT THAT BILLBOARD!
YOU DIDN'T GET ONE PICTURE OF ME!
I-I'M SORRY, SUPERMAN!
MY MIND MUST'VE BLANKED OUT!
I-I DIDN'T REALIZE WHAT I WAS DOING!
LATER, IN THE OFFICE OF EDITOR PERRY WHITE...
GREAT NEWS, LOIS!
ROB DANNER WILL BE IN TOWN SATURDAY MORNING--
I'M FLATTERED, PERRY, BUT I CAN'T MAKE IT!
"...I'LL BE WATCHING CAPTAIN DINGLE ON T.V.!
WHAAAAAT?! YOU WANT US TO MISS AN INTERVIEW WITH A NUMBER 1 MOVIE STAR--
--SO YOU CAN SEE A KIDDIE SHOW?!
I'M SORRY, PERRY! BUT I MUST WATCH THE CAPTAIN'S SHOW THIS SATURDAY!
BUT WHY, LOIS?
I-I DON'T KNOW! ALL I KNOW IS-- I'VE GOT TO SEE IT!
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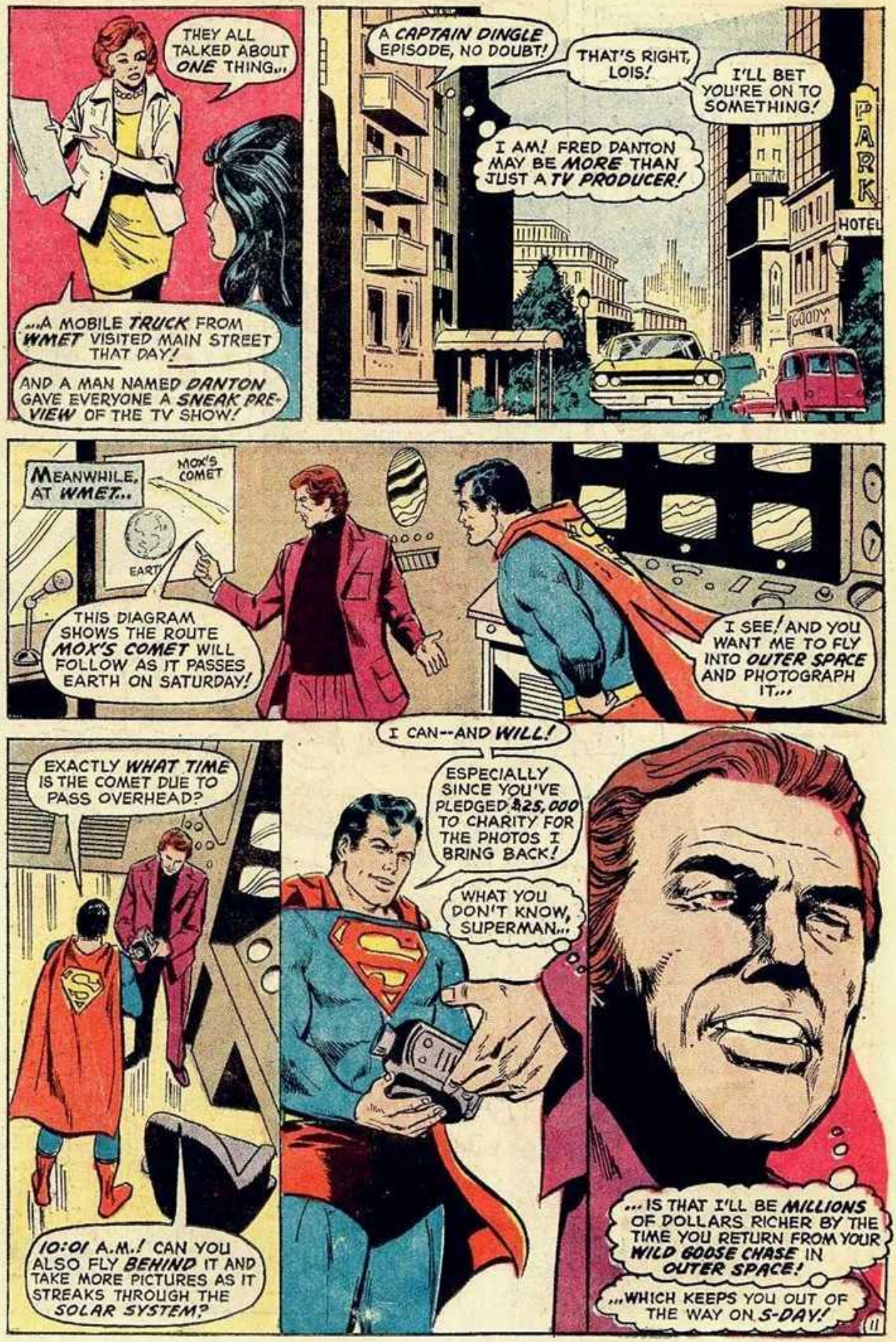
OUTSIDE THE G.B.S. BUILDING, LOIS TALKS TO HER LONG-TIME FRIEND, THE DOORMAN...
WHAT'S THE MATTER, HENRY? IN FIVE YEARS I'VE NEVER SEEN YOU LOOK SO DOWN!
THE BOSSES WANT TO FIRE ME, MISS LOIS...
...BECAUSE I WANT TO SEE MY FAVORITE PROGRAM--CAPTAIN DINGLE!
AS THE ROVING REPORTER TRAVELS THE CITY...
YOU GONNA WATCH CAPTAIN DINGLE SATURDAY? I CANCELLED A SKI-WEEK-END TO SEE IT!
DAILY PLANET
DON'T BLAME YOU! I'M WATCHING IT MYSELF!
BACK AT HER APARTMENT...
A DINGLE POSTER! MARSHA MUST REALLY HAVE A CRUSH ON THE GUY!
MARSHA DIDN'T BUY IT!
WE DID!
JULIE AND I ADORE HIM!
WE WOULDN'T MISS HIS SHOW ON SATURDAY FOR ANYTHING!
OY-VAY! YESTERDAY KRISTIN AND JULIE LOATHED CAPTAIN DINGLE...
NOW THEY LOVE HIM!
THIS CLINCHES IT! EVERYONE--INCLUDING ME--HAS SOMEHOW GOT TUNED IN TO DINGLE'S T.V. SHOW!
MY VIBES TELL ME SOMETHING'S VERY STRANGE!
A MOMENT LATER, THE FOURTH ROOMMATE RETURNS...
I DID LIKE YOU ASKED ME, LOIS--
--INTERVIEWED EVERY PERSON ON MAIN STREET WHO WAS A VICTIM OF THE RECENT MADNESS EPIDEMIC!
GREAT!
WHAT DID YOU COME UP WITH?


THEY ALL TALKED ABOUT ONE THING...
...A MOBILE TRUCK FROM WMET VISITED MAIN STREET THAT DAY!
AND A MAN NAMED DANTON GAVE EVERYONE A SNEAK PREVIEW OF THE TV SHOW!
A CAPTAIN DINGLE EPISODE, NO DOUBT!
THAT'S RIGHT, LOIS!
I'LL BET YOU'RE ON TO SOMETHING!
I AM! FRED DANTON MAY BE MORE THAN JUST A TV PRODUCER!
PARK
HOTEL
GOODY
MEANWHILE, AT WMET...
MOX'S COMET
EARTH
THIS DIAGRAM SHOWS THE ROUTE MOX'S COMET WILL FOLLOW AS IT PASSES EARTH ON SATURDAY!
I SEE! AND YOU WANT ME TO FLY INTO OUTER SPACE AND PHOTOGRAPH IT...
I CAN--AND WILL!
EXACTLY WHAT TIME IS THE COMET DUE TO PASS OVERHEAD?
ESPECIALLY SINCE YOU'VE PLEDGED $25,000 TO CHARITY FOR THE PHOTOS I BRING BACK!
WHAT YOU DON'T KNOW, SUPERMAN...
10:01 A.M.! CAN YOU ALSO FLY BEHIND IT AND TAKE MORE PICTURES AS IT STREAKS THROUGH THE SOLAR SYSTEM?
...IS THAT I'LL BE MILLIONS OF DOLLARS RICHER BY THE TIME YOU RETURN FROM YOUR WILD GOOSE CHASE IN OUTER SPACE!
...WHICH KEEPS YOU OUT OF THE WAY ON S-DAY!
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LATER THAT DAY, AFTER SOME HEAVY THINKING BY A SHREWD REPORTER...
I'VE GOT IT!
SNAP
I KNOW HOW DANTON MADE CAPTAIN DINGLE, TV'S MOST POPULAR SHOW!
WMET
NOW TO CHECK OUT MY HUNCH!
PERRY WANTS ME TO TEST THIS EXPERIMENTAL ULTRA-HIGH-SPEED FILM FOR HIM...
...ONLY HOPE IT'S FAST ENOUGH TO PROVE MY THEORY!
LOIS! ARE YOU NUTS? TAKING A PICTURE OF A TV SET!
YOU'RE BLOCKING THE SCREEN!
CLICKK!
STOP TALKING-- AND STOP CRACKLING THAT POPCORN!
MOMENTS LATER...
HERE IT IS!
PROOF OF A SUBLIMINAL MESSAGE FLASHING ON TV--
--TOO FAST FOR THE EYE TO SEE!
I'LL BET DANTON HAS BEEN RUNNING THIS ON ALL THE OTHER WMET SHOWS FOR WEEKS!
PEOPLE DON'T KNOW THEY'VE SEEN IT-- BUT THE MESSAGE IS LIKE A POST-HYPNOTIC COMMAND!
YOU MUST WATCH CAPT. DINGLE EVERY SATURDAY
NOTHING MUST KEEP YOU AWAY FROM YOUR T.V.
OH, WOW! WHAT A SECRET WEAPON TO GET PEOPLE UNDER HIS CONTROL! ALL THOSE T.V. SHOWS...
MARSHA AND I MUST'VE BEEN PUT UNDER WHEN WE SAW THAT TAPE OF CAPTAIN DINGLE'S SHOW.
AND WHEN IT GOES ON THE AIR TOMORROW MORNING-- SATURDAY... ALMOST EVERY SOUL IN TOWN WILL BE HOME WATCHING DINGLE...
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THAT MEANS THE CITY STREETS WILL BE DESERTED WHILE EVERYONE STAYS INDOORS GLUED TO TV!
MY NEWS NOSE TELLS ME DANTON IS PLANNING SOMETHING BIG!
A LITTLE LATER...
OKAY IF I COME IN TO BRUSH MY TEETH, LOIS?
S-SURE, MARSHA...
I-I'M JUST TAKING A S-SHOWER!
LOIS! YOU'RE TAKING A SHOWER WITH YOUR CLOTHES ON! AND YOU'RE SHIVERING. WHY?
MAN! ARE YOU ACTING WEIRD TONIGHT!
READERS--CAN YOU GUESS WHAT LOIS IS UP TO?
12 HOURS LATER-- 9:45 A.M., SATURDAY...
TIME FOR ME TO TRAIL THE MOX COMET! SEE YOU IN A COUPLE OF HOURS, DANTON!
HURRY BACK, SUPERMAN!
BUT DON'T HURRY TOO MUCH, SUPER-SAP!
OH, DINGLE! IF ONLY I WERE SINGLE!
10:00 A.M. --- FACES ALL OVER METROPOLIS, MALE AND FEMALE, YOUNG AND OLD, SIT ENTRANCED BY THEIR SCREENS AS CAPTAIN DINGLE'S SHOW BEGINS...
CAPTAIN DINGLE HOUR
THE GUY'S A HOWL!
YOU BET!
WRITE 'IM A FAN LETTER, MISS G!
SHORE IS A FUNNY FELLA!
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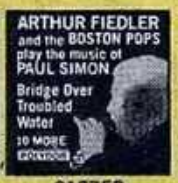

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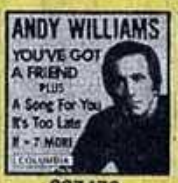

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...BUT AN UNWILLING HOSTAGE HAS BEEN KIDNAPPED FROM HIS HOME AND RUSHED THROUGH THE DESERTED CITY STREETS...
SORRY ABOUT YOUR LARYNGITIS, DINGLE! BUT IT DOESN'T MATTER! I NEED YOU TO BE SEEN--NOT HEARD!
WOW! WHAT AN OPERATION! DANTON IS A BIG-LEAGUE CROOK!
LOOK, BOSS! SOMEBODY WHO ISN'T WATCHING THE T.V./SHOULD I--??
HOTEL ARK
DON'T SHOOT, YOU IDIOT!
A BLIND MAN COULDN'T GET THE MESSAGE! THE HARMLESS FOOL CAN'T EVEN SEE US!
SOON--THE LARGEST BANK OF METROPOLIS...
HERE COME THE GUARDS, DANTON!
WE'RE SUNK!
THINK SO?
WATCH!
OH, CAPTAIN, IS IT REALLY YOU?
YOU'RE MY IDOL! MY ALL-TIME FAVORITE!
THIS IS WHY I BROUGHT DINGLE ALONG!
T.V. HAS CONDITIONED EVERYONE TO REACT TO HIM LIKE THIS!
BUT BEFORE THE ROBBERY CAN START...
THE OLD BLIND MAN! WHAT'S HE UP TO?
HE'S NOT BLIND!
MUST BE A COP IN DISGUISE!
MOW 'IM DOWN!
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RAT-A-TAT-TAT!
S-SUPERMAN!
WE'RE WIPED OUT!
MAYBE NOT!
WE STILL HAVE DINGLE AS A HOSTAGE!
SUPERMAN WON'T RISK THE LIFE OF THIS FAT FOOL!
AIEEE!
ZAP!
I'M NOT AS HELPLESS AS I LOOK, DANTON!
HOPE YOU FELLAS WEREN'T PLANNING TO USE THESE!
STOP!
L-LET ME DOWN!
YIIIGGH!
SKUSSHHH
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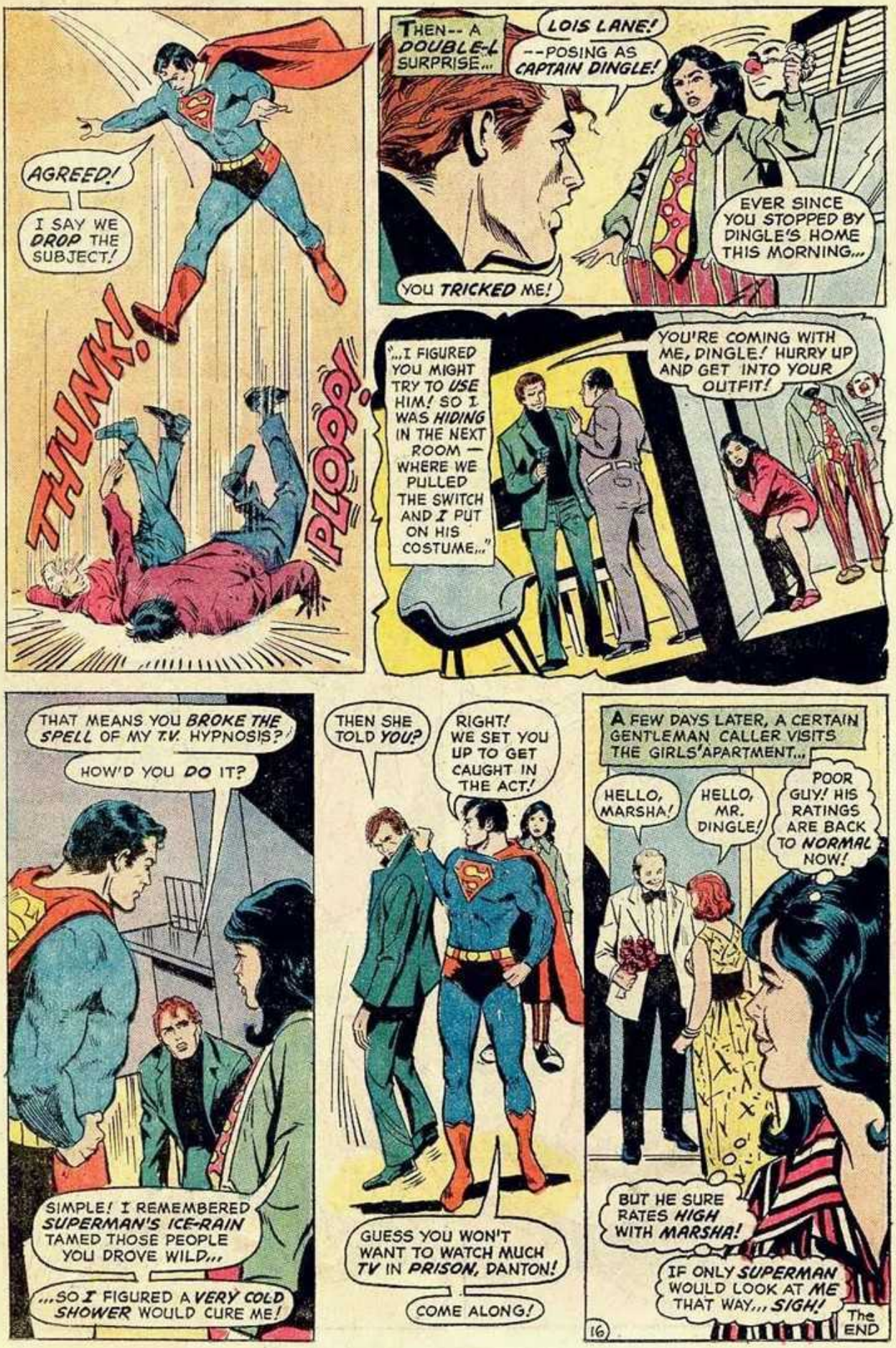
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I SAY WE DROP THE SUBJECT!
THUNK!
PLOOP!
THEN-- A DOUBLE-L SURPRISE...
LOIS LANE!
--POSING AS CAPTAIN DINGLE!
EVER SINCE YOU STOPPED BY DINGLE'S HOME THIS MORNING...
YOU TRICKED ME!
"...I FIGURED YOU MIGHT TRY TO USE HIM! SO I WAS HIDING IN THE NEXT ROOM — WHERE WE PULLED THE SWITCH AND I PUT ON HIS COSTUME..."
YOU'RE COMING WITH ME, DINGLE! HURRY UP AND GET INTO YOUR OUTFIT!
THAT MEANS YOU BROKE THE SPELL OF MY T.V. HYPNOSIS?
HOW'D YOU DO IT?
SIMPLE! I REMEMBERED SUPERMAN'S ICE-RAIN TAMED THOSE PEOPLE YOU DROVE WILD...
...SO I FIGURED A VERY COLD SHOWER WOULD CURE ME!
THEN SHE TOLD YOU?
RIGHT! WE SET YOU UP TO GET CAUGHT IN THE ACT!
GUESS YOU WON'T WANT TO WATCH MUCH TV IN PRISON, DANTON!
COME ALONG!
A FEW DAYS LATER, A CERTAIN GENTLEMAN CALLER VISITS THE GIRLS' APARTMENT...
HELLO, MARSHA!
HELLO, MR. DINGLE!
POOR GUY! HIS RATINGS ARE BACK TO NORMAL NOW!
BUT HE SURE RATES HIGH WITH MARSHA!
IF ONLY SUPERMAN WOULD LOOK AT ME THAT WAY... SIGH!
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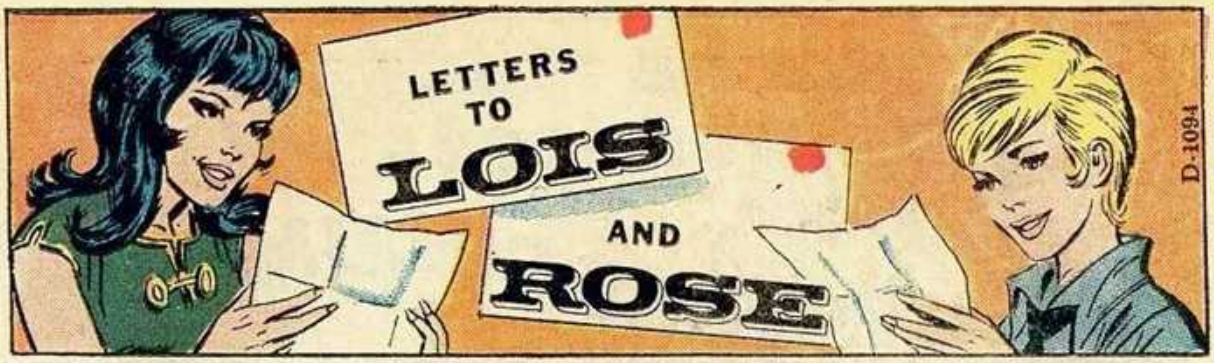
The END



Dear Editor:

Congratulations on issue #122! As a collector, I bought *two* copies of *this* one. It's terrific! In particular, it has one of the greatest comix covers I've ever seen. The story has plenty of action and as much suspense as can be produced, I suppose, when we know that *Superman* is going to come flying to the rescue in the end. (But can't you limit *Superman* to story roles that don't include these hackneyed, last-minute rescues? The latter are the only major weakness of your plots.)

You're going to get some complaints from readers that the story didn't live up to the promise of the cover, and I have to agree with this as far as *Lois* and *Thorn's* capture is concerned. It is given short shrift artistically, and *Lois'* outfit on page 20 is certainly not nearly as fetching as the one she sports on the cover. This business of the "come-on cover" bothers and perplexes many comix readers. When will some editor have the good sense to have his (or *her)* story artists follow the same general layout as the cover artists?

Speaking of outfits, why is this magazine so enamored with those very unattractive "hip boots" (or whatever they're called)? Not only do they mar *Thorn's* appearance, but *Lois* has worn them in several issues. Maybe they are the (ugh!) fashion somewhere, but here in the Baltimore area, I am happy to say, I have never seen a girl dumb enough to wear them. If *Thorn* decided to eliminate them, I'm sure no one would regret it.

According to the indicia on page one, we have a brand-new editor. Why don't you give us a general statement of her plans for the magazine? I know it would be months before a statement written now would actually be published, but I'm sure the readers would be interested in hearing what you have in mind.

Although I enjoyed "77 Coffins," I hope you won't put *Lois* and *Thorn* together in the same stories too often. As a heroine, each is capable of carrying her own separate stories (especially if *Thorn* frees herself from those boots).

I must agree with those readers who feel *Lois* has become too much oriented toward "social causes," "minority groups" and so on. A comic book must primarily be a source of entertainment if it is to sell, and it is easy to jeopardize its success in this respect by overemphasizing moral messages. This applies to *Lois'* Women's Lib convictions also. She should be confident and ambitious—and a bit of uninhibited cockiness makes her all the cuter as a character, but I'm sure the great majority of both men and women readers would not like her as a militant Women's Lib extremist.

Keep publishing at least two pages of readers' letters per issue and don't shy away from controversial letters or replies. I think we enjoy reading the comments of readers who both agree and disagree with our views, and we appreciate seeing the editor's reactions, policy statements, plans and commitments. (In this respect, we'll miss hearing from good, old "E.N.B."— but I'm looking forward now to hearing the word from "D.W."!)

Albert Tanner, Baltimore, Md.

(Well, you haven't heard the last of me yet, Al! But "D.W." will get her two cents in—with inflation, maybe it should be a dime by now— whenever she wants to! And Al, just for the record, a slew of editors up here have voted your letter the Best Fan Letter of 1972 . . . at least, so far!—E.N.B.*)*

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Now, about Al Tanner's request for two pages of letters each ish—we can only do it if we get your letters! So send 'em in and we'll print the best ones. The address is LETTERS TO LOIS AND ROSE, National Periodical Publications, 909 Third Ave., New York, N.Y. 10022.

here he is.. as promised.. your.. MYSTERY COLUMNIST

Dear Editor:
. . . women's lib in a comic book? How can a medium that sports men in underwear doing impossible feats hope to deal seriously with something so real?
—Gary Kimber
Ontario, Canada

Who knows what evil lurks in the heart of Editor Woolfolk? Women's freedom is one of them, of course, and, crusader that Ms. W. is, she'll use any *medium to fight for her sense of justice. So, fellow (male)-leaders . . .* duck!

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Dear Mystery Columnist:
Composing a letter concerning LOIS LANE #122 demanded some serious thought. How could I *constructively* analyze the mess that this issue turned out to be?
First of all, the changes you've made in Lois' life in the past month are too unstable. Sharing an apartment with three other girls is just not going to work. It won't last more than two or three months. Without detracting from Superman, how are you ever going to work the other girls into the story? Secondly, the magazine may be selling well among Women's Libbers, but it's too much for anyone else.
—Scott Gibson
Sterling, Colorado

I agree wholeheartedly! If I were you, I'd get together with Superman and form Men's Liberation . . . to free us from those nutty Women's Libbers. As for the issue being a "mess", it was edited by a . . . woman! *(BLECCH!)*

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Dear Alexander:
I have some very interesting news for you. Way back in the letter column of Lois Lane #74, it was promised (I repeat: *Promised!*) that once Supergirl got her own magazine (which she has had now for some time) Lana Lang would get *her* own magazine also! So when may we expect LANA LANG #1? (It saddens me to think this letter will probably not be printed. After all, it creates quite a problem for you, doesn't it?)
—Tim O'Gorman
Columbus, Ohio

Sure it does, Tim! But in my opinion, one *girl-reporter adventure mag, LOIS LANE (whom I dig,* sometimes*) is* enough! *How about it, fans? Think this world can take another "woman" comic book?*

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Dear MC:
What's this about "Superman . . . why can't you see life as it is today?" What's wrong with his not wanting Lois going out on her own after a gang of killers? She should be thankful that he cares, not insulted. And then she depends on him to come along and save her and do all the dirty work as part of her plan! Come on, now! She's not a liberated woman . . . she's a puppeteer.
—Gene Christie
Moultrie, Georgia

A puppeteer? More like a dummy!! *Seriously, Gene, Superman is just that: a super* man! *He's intelligent enough to understand the malarkey Lois is* [illegible] *him . . . but he's so good natured! Just* [illegible]*ised if, one of these days . . .*

Dear Ed:
The need for better and equal terms doesn't mean a woman has to stop being female. A woman cannot be a man, is not as strong as a man, and cannot think like a man—I know because I'm married to one, and he doesn't think like I think!
Lois wants many things for her fellow women: equal pay, rights, etc . . . the same things any man enjoys. But should Lois scream about her rights as a woman, while in the same breath criticizing Superman for wanting to behave like a man? A woman's normal instincts are to be feminine and coy. A man's are to flex his muscles. Who likes a feminine man? Nobody! So who likes a masculine woman? Let's see some more tender moments between Superman and Lois.
—B.J. Reed
Oxnard, Cal.

As far as I'm concerned, Lois has *a tender spot . . . but it's between her ears! Any chick who would snub Superman has to be* nuts! *I guess Lois feels if she can't have Supe, she'll cut him down! Stupid, huh?*

THE BONE YARD

As Shakespeare said, "No one's perfect!" And this second edition of The Bone Yard is evidence to the fact that we at LOIS LANE make our share of errors . . . Wanna see?*

Dear Bone Yard:
LOIS LANE #122 was very good, but how does Rose, a *blonde,* turn into a *brown-haired* super-heroine? I missed a few issues, and I don't know a lot about the Thorn.
—Yuji Takahashi
New York, N.Y.

Well, then, you're excused! Every *reader of LOIS LANE knows by now that when Rose changes into the Thorn, she dons a wig with the rest of her costume. So let's stop splitting hairs!*

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Dear Bone Yard:
I never thought I'd complain or tell you and your staff of an error, but I found one! In LL #122, there was a mistake on page 18. When Lois and the Thorn are trying to lift K.A.R.L., it's too heavy, so Superman helps by lifting "him." Then Superman swims to the surface at a rapid speed. What are you trying to do? *Kill* Lois? And the Thorn? If you know even a *little* about skin-diving, you know that when a diver rises to the surface, he must do so slowly and not hurry . . . or the pressure will be too great and *kill* him!
—Peggy Hernandez
San Jose, California

Right you are, Peggy m'girl! And you're the only one who caught the slip-up. But gee, Peg . . . Editor Woolfolk and her harried little staff always work under pressure . . . and we don't know what it's like *to come up for air! Besides, our undersea expert—*Aquaman*—is on an extended vacation! So . . . are we excused?*
Not bad, eh readers? But next month, watch out! We're shooting for no *mistakes! Make sure you're around—*
Jeff Rovin
Bone Yard Editor

** Which gives you reason to write in for next month's column.*

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WHRAAM

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SNAP!

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HILLTOP SMASHES

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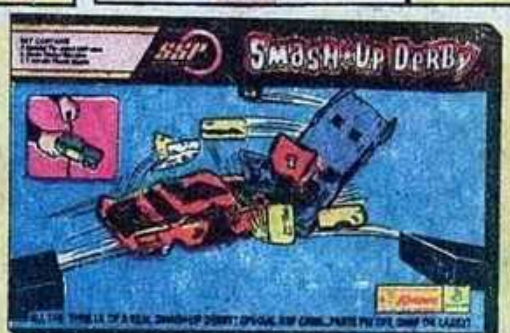
BOY, IT'S GOT ALL THE THRILLS OF A REAL DEMOLITION DERBY!

CRASH!



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COOL IT, BRADFORD! THE THORN'S HANDLING IT!
WHAT A WOMAN! I WISH SHE WERE ON MY TEAM!
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BULLETS AND BALLOTS!

WANDERING IN METROPOLIS, ROSE FORREST'S STOMACH IS AS EMPTY AS LAST YEAR'S CHRISTMAS STOCKING...
SNIFF--SNIFF... THAT PIZZA SMELLS DELICIOUS--EVEN THROUGH A GLASS WINDOW!
BUT I BETTER WATCH MY PENNIES UNTIL I GET A JOB!
ELECT CONGRESSWOMAN SYLVIA CHARLTON TO SENATE!
SHE FIGHTS FOR THE FORGOTTEN MAN-WOMAN AND CHILD!
CAMPAIGN WORKERS WANTED! LONG HOURS--HARD WORK--LOW PAY--BUT HIGH HOPES FOR THE FUTURE!
I GET THE MESSAGE! IT'S SOMETHING WORTHWHILE!
BETTER THAN TAKING DICTATION AND WAITING ON SOME RICH, LAZY V.I.P.!
I CAN TAKE SHORTHAND, TYPE, ANSWER THE PHONE, PIN ON BUTTONS, MAKE COFFEE--
BEAUTIFUL! YOU'RE HIRED! BRADFORD--SHOW THIS ANGEL TO A DESK!
MY PLEASURE, MS--?
ROSE FORREST.
LUNCH TIME! THERE'S A NICE LITTLE PLACE AROUND THE CORNER WHERE WE CAN GET BETTER ACQUAINTED!
THANKS, BUT COFFEE AND DOUGHNUTS WILL DO FINE FOR NOW!
I'D LIKE TO START WORK IMMEDIATELY!
BRADFORD, WE'VE GOT A FIND IN THAT GIRL! DON'T TURN HER OFF BY MAKING PASSES! SHE'S A WOMAN, A HUMAN BEING. NOT A SUGAR-COATED BON-BON!
SHE LOOKS HUNGRY, CONGRESSWOMAN. I JUST WANTED TO TAKE HER TO LUNCH!
I SEE...
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COME ALONG AND PASS OUT BUTTONS...
...AND MAYBE GET SOME VOTERS ON MY SIDE!
I'D LOVE TO!
ENROUTE...
"HONEST" JACK JILLSON'S GOT THAT SENATE SEWED UP BECAUSE HE PASSES OUT GRAVY TO HIS FAT-CAT FRIENDS-- WHO STUFF HIS CAMPAIGN CHEST!
I WANT TO LADLE OUT THAT GRAVY TO THE POOR!
YOU WILL, CONGRESSWOMAN.
SOON...
FRIENDS! ELECT ME-- AND I'LL SEE THAT "HONEST" JACK DOESN'T CUT THE CITY UP LIKE A JUICY PIE, THAT...
--HIS FRIENDS CAN GOBBLE UP A LA MODE!
SHE MAKES ME PROUD TO BE A WOMAN!
SUDDENLY!
OHH! I SEE "HONEST" JACK'S FRIENDS ARE AMONG THOSE PRESENT!
LISTEN, YOU GOONS!
WHY WASTE FOOD ON ME?
HUNGRY KIDS IN THE SLUMS NEED IT!
AT THE SIGHT OF THE FIGHTING, CONGRESSWOMAN'S PLIGHT, RAGE EXPLODES IN ROSE'S BRAIN....
...LIKE A TIME-BOMB INSTANTLY ACTIVATED BY A DARK FORCE--OF WHICH SHE IS TOTALLY UNAWARE!
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SWEPT BY A TORRENT OF FURY, ROSE RACES TO A CURTAIN OF TREES, AND CHANGES INTO--THE THORN!
GOT TO STOP THOSE CLOWNS FROM TURNING THE CONGRESSWOMAN'S MEETING INTO A ROMAN CIRCUS!
"HONEST" JACK'LL PAY US PLENTY OF JACK FOR MESSING UP THAT BLACK HEN!
HAW HAW! IT'S ONLY THE BEGINNIN'! WE'RE GONNA REALLY GIVE THAT LOUD-MOUTH DAME A HEADACHE!
BEGINNING? WRONG!
THE END!
THE THORN!
STOP HERE!
K-POW
YOU CRAZY CHICK! WHAT D'YA THINK YOU'RE DOIN'?
YOU CAN'T RIDE WITHOUT A TICKET!
I'LL PUNCH YOURS!
ZAP!
4

THAT CAT'S HARD TO CUT DOWN!
BURN HER!
GOT TO STOP THEIR WILD FIRING BEFORE SOMEONE GETS HURT!
BLAM!
BLAM!
COOL OFF, CREEP!
MEET SOME COUSINS OF YOURS! NO ONE COULD MISTAKE THE FAMILY RESEMBLANCE!
MS. CHARLTON -- YOU CAN'T GO ON WITHOUT A BODYGUARD! EVEN YOUR NEW GIRL WAS SCARED OFF!
I AGREE, BRADFORD!
THORN -- WE'RE BOTH BATTLING FOR THE SAME CAUSE! WE WOMEN HAVE TO STICK TOGETHER!
FEEL LIKE GUARDING THE CHARLTON CAMPAIGN TRAIL?
YOU BET-SISTER!
THANKS, THORN! OUR NEXT JOB IS TO INSPECT A MINE OWNED BY ONE OF "HONEST" JACK'S FRIENDS!
THEY SAY IT'S OPERATING UNDER UNSAFE CONDITIONS -- AT A SAFE PROFIT!
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A LITTLE LATER, THORN AND THE CONGRESSWOMAN ARRIVE AT THE MINE...
WE HAVE TO INSPECT THE MINE BY OURSELVES, THORN! BRADFORD BEGGED OFF--HE HAS A BAD CASE OF CLAUSTROPHOBIA!*
WONDER WHO SAID MAN IS THE STRONGER SEX?
A MAN, PROBABLY!
*ABNORMAL FEAR OF BEING IN AN ENCLOSED PLACE.
THIS CAR WILL TAKE YOU WHERE YOU WANT ELECTRICALLY!
USE THE THROTTLE TO GO, BRAKE TO STOP!
THINK YOU CAN HANDLE IT?
I'VE A PILOT'S LICENSE! THANKS...
IF I'M ELECTED, I'LL USE THE POLITICAL PAYOFFS "HONEST" JACK SLIPS TO HIS FRIENDS--FOR SCHOOLS, HOUSING, DAY CARE CENTERS FOR WORKING MOTHERS...
RIGHT ON, CONGRESSWOMAN!
SUDDENLY...
THORN--THE BRAKE... IT ISN'T HOLDING! THE CAR'S RUNNING WILD!
IT'S BEEN TAMPERED WITH, SYLVIA! YOU'D BETTER...
...HANG ON TO ME!
OH-H-H!
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AT THE OTHER END OF THE MINE TUNNEL...
WE DID IT, MR. BRADFORD- WE PUT THE SKIDS UNDER BOTH OF 'EM! THAT SHAFT'S 1000 FEET DEEP!
FINE! "HONEST" JACK'LL PAY YOU A BONUS FOR GETTING RID OF THAT BLACK BUZZARD AND THE THORN!
HE'LL WIN IN A WALK NOW!
BUT...
WHIPLASH!
CRACK!
TH-THE THORN-? AND THE CHARLTON BROAD-ALIVE?
D-DON'T, DON'T!
I-I CONFESS!
YOU WILL- FOR THE NEWSREELS!
AND I'LL CALL LOIS LANE FOR THE SCOOP—MAKE GREAT ELECTION CAMPAIGN COPY!
WE WOMEN MAKE A GREAT TEAM, THORN! WHY NOT THE PRESIDENCY FOR A WOMAN SOME DAY?
THAT I'D LIKE TO SEE-- SENATOR!
LATER, BACK IN HER OTHER IDENTITY, ROSE- COMPLETELY UNAWARE OF HER TURBULENT DUAL PERSONALITY- IS BEWILDERED..
WHAT'S THIS BLACK STUFF ON MY HANDS?
LOOKS LIKE-! COALDUST! HMMM...
BUT... WHERE DID IT COME FROM?
WILL ROSE DISCOVER HER OTHER SELF? DON'T MISS THE NEXT EPISODE OF.. THE ROSE AND THE THORN!
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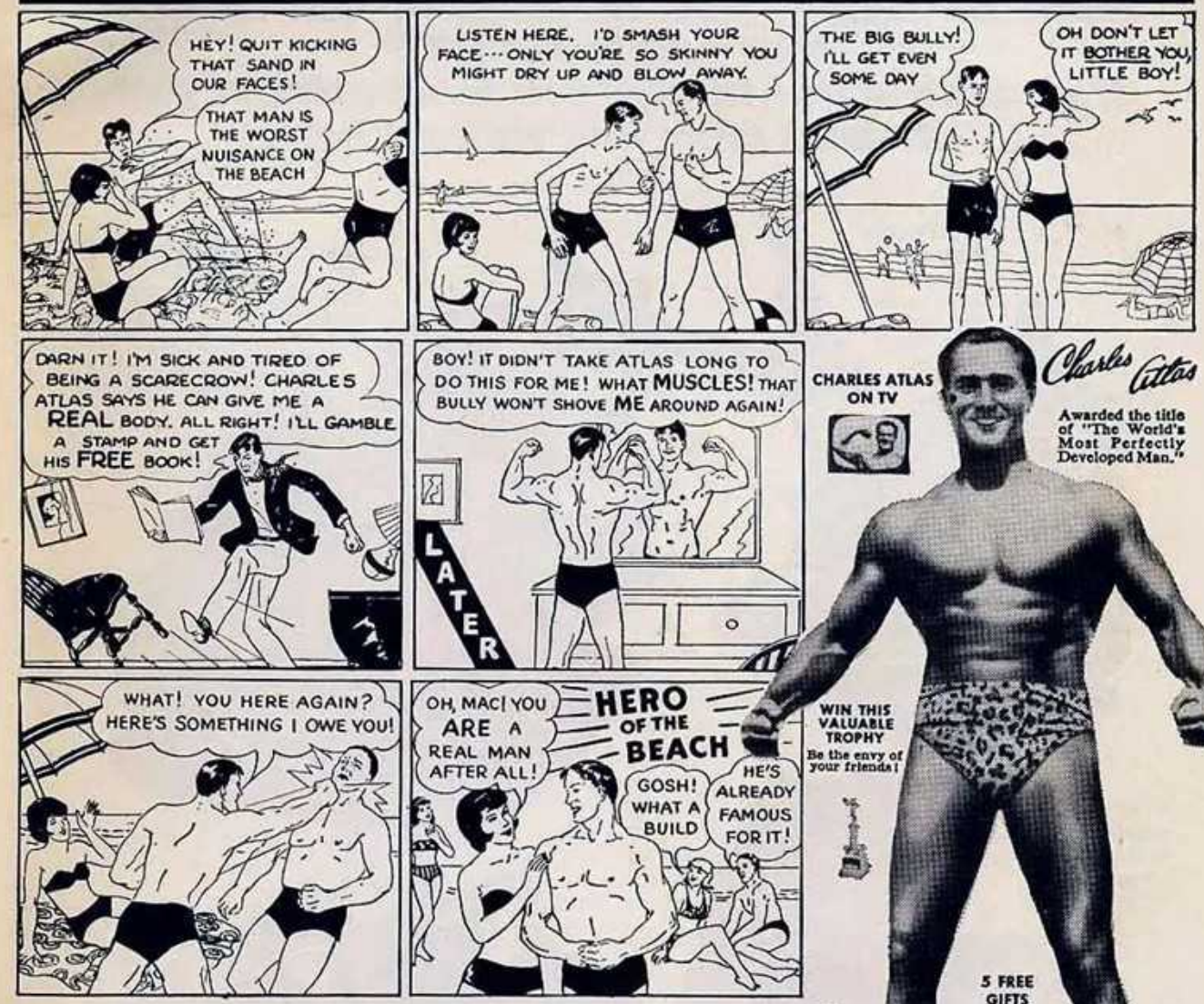
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THE BIG BULLY! I'LL GET EVEN SOME DAY
OH DON'T LET IT BOTHER YOU, LITTLE BOY!
DARN IT! I'M SICK AND TIRED OF BEING A SCARECROW! CHARLES ATLAS SAYS HE CAN GIVE ME A REAL BODY. ALL RIGHT! I'LL GAMBLE A STAMP AND GET HIS FREE BOOK!
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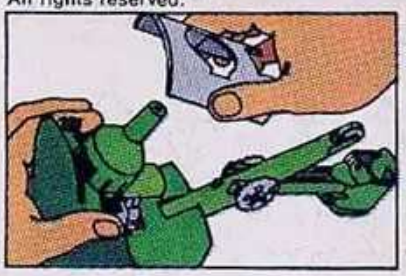

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